# **NEWS OF HORSES** AND HORSEMEN

At Alamance Farm, North Carolina, Where Gregorian Is.

GILES MEBANE IS THERE, TOO

Boney Boy Broken Down - Mr. Payne Buys Edmonia and Corronade and Sarma-Guo Metal Wins at

Chicago.

At Alamance Farm, Graham, N. C., he former home of the crack pacer, John R. Gentry, Mr. L. Banks Holt, who owned that famous son of Ashland Wilkes, has some of his get which promwell, among them being the grand oking brown colt Giles Mebane, threeold, whose dam is the Hannis are Winnie D, that produced Hulman, mare Winnie D, that produced Hulman, 220, and the pacer Ginter, 2:24 1-4.
Giles Mebane is a pacer and William Chatman, the farm trainer, recards him very highly. In addition to Giles Mebane. Chatman has in the training bara ine b. m., 4. by Baronet, dam Jillis, by Jay Bird; ch. L. 3, by John R. Gentry, dam Blondette, dam of Governor Heit. 2:15, by Leland; b. f., 3, by John R. Gentry, dam Oneida Girl, by Macey's Hambistonian; ch. L. 3, pacer, by John R. Gentry, dam Lou Graham, by Meiville Chief; b. f., 3, by Baronet, dam Sue H. by Weodhurn Hambietonian; br. f., 3, by Woodburn Hambletonian; br. f., 3, by aronet, dam Coralyn, by Dictator; b. f. by Gregorian, dam Gretna Green, by berdeen; ch. g., 2. by Gregorian, dam innie D; b. f., 1. by Gregorian, dam condette, and b. g., I, by Gregorian, dam

Gregorian, 2.3 a. the good and Bel-tina, by Mansfield, heads the stud at Ala-mance and as a sire Mr. Holt rates him second to no horse ever owned at the farm, as his get are not only speedy, but well formed, handsome and even temp-

well formed, handsome and even tempered.

The broodmare band at the farm includes Winnie D. dam of Huiman, 2:30, by Hannis, dam Maud L. by Flyaway, who dropped a chestnut colt in the spring by Gregorian and was bred back, as was Greina Green, the full sister to Mairimony, 2:23-54, by Aberdeen, out of Happy Choice, by Happy Medium, who has a hay colt at her side by Gregorian and was bred back; Blondette, dam of Governor Holt, 2:15, that speedy son of the famous Pamilico, 2:16, by Leliand, dam Minetto, by Kentucky Prince, lost her feal best wholer and was bred back to Grecorian. Onelda Girl, a stately handsome hay daughter of Macey's Hambletonian and Fantine dam of Jean Vallean, 2:14, by Alcalde: Sue H. by Woodburn Hambletonian, dam Alice by Ashland Patchen, and Coralyn, the grand looking brown daughter of Dictator, used by Mr. Holt as a readster, neither of whom have been bred for several seasons, were mated in the spring with Gregorian. Holt as a relative, helitice to the mate been bred for several seasons, were mated in the spring with Gregorian.

In Gevernor Peck, a prize winner at the great Chicago Exposition, Dupont, who carries a coat of white and bay, and the tiny midget Montrose, a solid bay in color and just three feet in height. Alamance has a trio of Shetland pony stallions that are impressive sires, while the hand of brood mares with which they have been mated is probably the choicest in all North Carolina. These gentle little creatures roam the pastures at will and being of various colors, though most, by spotted or piebald, and to look them over in their freedom forms one of the charms to those who visit the place. The cares of a great manufacturing estabes of a great manufacturing estab-ment rest upon the shoulders of Mr. it, but pleasure and recreation are and in directing affairs at Alamance, which is one of the most highly improv-d estates in all North Carolina and anking among the best known of Southbreeding establishments.

The recent death of Miss Woodford, at Rancho del Paso, brings to mind the al-most complete failure in the stud of sevuncertainty of breeding. No State, not even far-famed Kentucky, could boast of three such celebrated queens of the turf as Miss Woodford, Firenzi and Los Ange-les. In the early eighties Miss Woodford scored many victories, yet, mated to stal-lions of reputation, she has not only fail-ed to reproduce herself, but has given the turf not one race horse of stake or even headless preferances. Event was a handleap pretensions. Firenzi was a grand race mare of the finest blood lines, yet she will never be remembered for anything she has yet given to the turf. Of course, Firenzi was a much younger mare than Miss Woodford and has yet a change to redeem herself as a brook or redeem herself as a brook mare. chance to redeem herself as a brood mare. Los Angeles, while not quite as high class a mare as Firenzi was much more to the eye than the Haggin crack. None of her progeny has displayed any promise. On the other hand, at the same ranch where Los Angeles is owned, Aloha, a cheap seiling plater, produced Rey El Santa Anita, the winner of the American Derby. Anita, the winner of the American Perty,
Marian, pre-sminently the grandest brood
mare ever brought to California, had no
reputation as a face mare, but she produced the Emperor of Norfolk, El Rio
Rey, To Tambien,— Casr and several
other crack race horses. In spite of these other crack race horses. In spite of these facts the owners of stock farms are still mating stake winners with stake winners, with the expectation of producing record breakers. Before closing the subject of the uncertainty of breeding race horses it would be apropos to recall that while Firenzi has been a failure as a broad mare, her full sister. Fleurette, who never shone as a race mare, has been a success. Perhaps after mare, has been a success. Perhaps after all the non-success attending Miss Wood-ford, Los Angeles and Firenzi has been due to their seasons of hard racing.-San Francisco Chronicle.

Robert Bradley's grand three-year-old, Boney Boy, broke down recently after a race at Hawthorne Park, Chicage, and will not be started again for some time. The unsexed son of Blitzen, "The Iron Horse," and Sue B., who was bred by the Bradley at Greenway Form on the Mr. Bradley at Greenway Farm, on the James river, has proved himself one of the stautest-hearted and namest campaigners ever bred in Virginia, and the ordeal through which he passed in 1888, as a two-year-old, was sufficient to have completely knocked out any ordinary youngater, although he withshood it, but the campaign of the present season has done the work, and no wonder, as the gelding has been started on an average gelding has been started on an average of probably more than three times a week since early in the year. Biltzen, the sire Boney Boy, was raced during six successive seasons, often times winter and summer alike, by Mr. Bradley, but, like his gelded son, the brown stallion finally succumbed to the ordeal, and was retired to the stud a cripple, which, however, seems in nowise to affect his potency as cassive seasons, often times winter and

A New York turf writer has the follow-ing of Mr. Dwyer and the running up

of Trumpet last Saturday:

"The most bitter enemies of M. F.
Dwyer—and in the old days when he had
power his enemies were not few—felt a
twinge of sympathy when his two-yearpid, Trumpet, inner of a selling stake
yesterday, was bid up by H. T. Griffin
from 11.00 to 15.00 Suprograd on the yesterday, was bid up by H. T. Griffin from \$1,000 to \$1,000. Supported on the arm of a friend. Mr. Dwyer, now a thin gray, feeble old man, quietly protected his horse. After the bidding was over a bystander said: 'I was sorry to see your horse bid up, Mr. Dwyer.' That's all right,' replied the old plunger, without raising his head, 'If you run in selling races you must expect to be bid up. I have no complaint to make.' Then he

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walked unsteadily back to the grand

who disliked him thoroughly and and reason to, but I must say that the gamest thoroughbred he ever owned did not have his courage. He has lost a mil-

ion and a half, and has never complained

big bet and feel like playing the bably, I

look up there at old Mike, alone in his cold age, with his fortune gone, his great

horses gone, all his power gone, with a face like flint and never a whimper."

Secretary W. E. Dillon, of the Virginia

State Fair and Agricultural Association, Nertolk, Va., anticipates a great fair and race meeting to be held there this fell, the dates of which are October and,

Col. Thomas W. Holloway, secretary of

the South Carolina State Agricultural and Mechanical Society, has issued the premium list of the 31st, annual fair of the society to be held at Columbia on November 6th to 19th, inclusive. The an-

November on to loth, inclusive, the annual State fairs rank among the most notable events of the year in the Palmetto State, and many thousands gather in Columbia during that week. Col. Holloway is widely known and a veteran in the service of the society, and has tilled the office of secretary for many years with credit.

Espionage, the good fily by inspector B,

Espionage, the good fily by inspector B, out of Sunmaid, is still winning at the Chicago tracks. She was bred at famous Belle Meade Farm, Nashville, Tenn., from whom her dam Sunmaid was purchased from the estate of Major Thomas W. Doswell, Builfield Farm, Va., by whom she was bred, Sunmaid was by Abd El Kader, from Sunbeam by imp. Leanington, second dam Ecliptic by imp. Eclipse, and she out of the famous Nina by Boston.

Mr. James Schwartz, of Raleigh, N. C., owns a very promising green pacer, by Happy King, out of Gretna Green, full sister to Matrimony, 2:22.24, by Aberdeen, Gretna Green, the dam of this pacer, is a member of the brood-mare band at Alamanco Farm, Graham, N. C., and is likely to become prominent as a pro-

In the handicap for three-year-olds and

In the handcap for three-year-olds and upward, one mile, at Brighton Beach on July 20th, which was won by Cambrian, Charentus, by imp. Charaxus, out of Contents, by John Happy, ran second and Gray Jacques, by Jim Gray, out of Jacquellne, by Imp. The Jacobite, second. Time 1:81.

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ered about ten years ago, and has been in use for about five years.

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STATE POLITICS

AMHERST, VA., August 5 .- Special From where the "Sieeping Giant" lies on the summit of the Blue Higge prone on the summit of the Blue fitige mountains to the uttermost borders of the county Amherst is stirred. The excitement engendered by a political contest is great, and many are the predictions that ere September 2d—the end of the campaign—shall have passed, there will be personal encounters and even possibly, bloodshed.

And the issue is entirely a local one. Who shall be sent to the United States Senate—whether Martin or Tyler—has given the good people of this county but little concern as yet. The whole contest recuters around the county judgessip, and in order for it to be understood, a

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short digression is necessary.

CAUSE OF THE STIR.

At the last session of the Legislature the question of who should fill this position was a vexed one, but it was finally settled by the election of Mr. Bentley B. He were the ermine but a short time, -the latter event occasioned considerable surprise, for al-though Mr. Campbell was recognized as sensible, practical man, yet his knowl-edge of law and experience therein was and is limited. Then, again, the people regarded with

disfavor an appointment in which they had had no opportunity to make known their wishes. there is a strong determination to turn Judge Campbell, who is also editor and owner of the Amberst New Era, out of eat, which he has filled such a short

On this point the people have divided.
It what is the relative strength of ther party can only be conjectured this early in the figh

fail, the dates of which are October and, ath, 5th, and 6th. The sum of \$5.000 in purses of the uniform value of \$5.000 each will be distributed among trotters and pacers, and the contests between these will furnish sport of high order. Liberal premiums will also be offered for live stock and farm products, the display of which promises to be a most interesting one. The anti-Campbell party has as its candidate Mr. Thomas Whitehead, Jr., of Elen District, which is adjacent to A. D. Payne, of the Annita stud, Charlottesville, Va., has recently purchased the following thoroughbred brood mares from Hon, Thomas S. Martin, Scottsville, Va.: Edmonia, a chestnut, by Eolus, out of Sun Maid, by A. d. El Rader, and Carronade, a bay, by Gunnar, out of Annie Lynchburg.
CAMPBELL CANDIDATE.

The Campbell candidate is Dr. Robert 3. Ware of Temperance District, which less among the mountatins. Dr. Ware s a physician and farmer. He is not a

is a physician and farmer. He is not a politician nor a speaker, however, and for that reason Judge Campbell will represent him on the stump.

The action of the Democratic Executive Committee having provided for joint discussions, Mr. Whitehead and Judge Campbell will meet for the first time at Walker's Ford on August-10th, and the wordy battle will continue almost daily until the wind up at Pedlar Mills on August 31st. Castaway, H.; from W. J. Ficklin, Charlottesville, Sarma, a bay, by imp. Muscovy, out of Sarmienta, by Longtaw, with a bay filly, foal of 1898, at her side by imp. Water Level, Sarma was not bred this season. Among the good things in the atable of H. D. "Curley" Brown, who has been racing at Brighton Beach, are Merry Day, by Eolus, out of Mermald, by imp. St. Blaise, and Waterhouse, the apily named son of imp. Water Level and Miss House, by imp. Kyrle Daly, who was bred by W. J. Ficklin, Charlottesville, Va. Merry Day, who was the sensation of the meeting at New Orleans last winter, was bred in the Ellerslie stud, Charlottesville, by Captain R. J. Hancock. It is feared that trouble will arise from

the Est of this month, at which time

At Eric, Pa., on July 25th, the hand-some bay mare Janie S., by Egwood, out of Belle of Richmond, by Daniel Lambert, won a couple of heats and got second money in the 22% class, trotting, the race going to Moquettum. The daughter of Egwood finished first in the third and fourth heats, the time of the latter being 2:22 14, a new mark for her. Janie S. was bred by H. C. Chamblin, Whitby Farm, near this city, who owned her sire and dam.

his candidate will support Tyler,
OPPOSED TO DEBATE.
The determination to hold joint debates is not at all to the liking of the Ware following, and in the hope of doing away with it Judge Campbell addressed Mr. Whitehead a letter in which he proposed that none be held, giving as reasons that the Democratic party in Amherst was in bad shape; that he feared injury would be done it, and that there was also danger of personal difficulties.
Mr. Whitehead replied briefly that he saw no danger of damaging the party by a triendly discussion, and apprehended no personal difficulties.
The discussions, therefore, will so on, as stated, Mr. Whitehead being assisted by Mr. W. K. Allen.
Meantime the opponents of Judge Campbell have been casting about for an acceptable candidate for the judge ship. They at first fixed on Mr. W. Erenst Sandidge, but he has come out in a card declining the honer, for which determination the New Bra heartly commends him editorially.
It is now said that Mr. W. K. Allen has been selected and will be endorsed by a large number of people.
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The Democratic Executive Committee, which met July lith at Amherst, adopted resolutions arranging for the campaign and the primary of September 2d, among which the following is of Resolved. That the Democratic Execu.

tive Committee repullates and condemns
the use of money or liquor in election."
At this same meeting a resolution was
offered providing that the names of the
candidates for United States Senator be
printed upon the ballots cast at the
primary September 2d. It was defeated

HORSE FELL WITH HIM.

Virgilina a New Town That is Making

P. Lorillard's famous race horse Parole, the hero of 'two continents, now in his 27th year, is enjoying a life of freedom at Rancocas Stud Farm, Jobstown, N. J., the breeding establishment of Mr. Lorillard. The grand old gelding looks sleek and fat, while his legs are absolutely without a blemish of any kind.

The chestnut gelding, Gan Metal, 4, by Eon, out of Arny, by Hindoo, recently won at Hawthorne Park, Chicago, at one and a quarter miles in 1:18-1.2, defeating Ellidad, Woodranger and four others, Gun Metal was bred in the Ellerslie Sud, Charlottesville, Va., by Chas, K. Harrison, Baltimore, who owns his dam, Amy, In the bandican for three-year-olds and Fast Strides, CHRISTIE, VA. Aug. 5.—Special.—Mr. John Rodgers, who lives near here, while returning home from Christie late yesterday evening, had one of his arms broken by being thrown to the ground by the horse, upon which he was riding,

stumbling and falling.

Misses May and Fannie Bacon, formerly
of Chase City, but now of Texas, are
on a visit to their sister, Mrs. Dr. P. R.

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Hardle, of Virgilina.
Virgilina is till growing, and improvements going on all the time. Work is now going on on a number of buildings. The Virgilina Pharmacy, Drewry & Garner proprietors, has opened. There has been a rumor of a bank being opened there.

The mineral interests, which are excellent there, will in the course of time make it a prosperous inland town. Near Omega, I understand that the mineral prospects are very bright, and the mine t High Hill is thought to be very promis-

Since the rains the farming prospects have improved wonderfully. The growing crops under the favorable weather ing crops under the lavoration weather are green and flourishing.

Mr. J. A. Robertson, of Christie, since last Christmas, has had two dogs, two hogs and one cow killed by the locomo-tives of the Atlantic and Danville rail-

REFUGEES AT PROVIDENCE FORGE

port News. The hotel here has been crowded since Monday night.
There will be a meeting of Democrats on Thursday, August 19th (regular County Court) for the purpose of electing delegates to the convention to be held in Williamsburg on August 18t.
Mr. and Mrs. Frank Mulford, of Newport News and Miss Owen of South Boston, are the guests of Mr. Mulford, of Charles City county.
R. E. Richardson has closed down his mill on account of yellow fever, as traffic to Newport News has been suspended.
Mr. Clarence Weisiger will leave to-day for his home in Powbatan.
The family of Mr. E. E. Purdum, who has been sick all the summer, are slowly improving.

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THE DANGER OF ALCOHOL.

Dr. Hewes Takes Issue with Prof. Atwater in Regard to the Effects.

The recent experiments of Prof. Atwater are of great interest to physiologists and chemists since they throw much light upon one of the doubtful questions of physiological chemistry or pharmacology, that of the metabolism of alcohol in the body.

It is a mistake, however, to think as ome people apparently do, that the resuit of these experiments should change the teaching in the schools in regard to the use of alcohol from a hygienic point of view. The schools teach that the use of alcoholic liquors as a beverage is not justifiable under the laws of hygiene.

The results of Prof. Atwater's experi-ments do not contradict this teaching. These experiments merely show that the This does not in itself entitle alcohol to be placed among food substances in the hygienic sense of the term, which is the sense in which the schools and people if general use the term food. If it did, suc a violent poison as muscarine, the active ushroom family would have to be class ed with the foods, since it also is oxi-

we must know that the sum total effects of its use are beneficial to the body. poisonous effects as Prof. Atwater him-self admits. The question as to whether it can be considered as food depends en-tirely upon whether its beneficial effects are greater than its poisonous effects. Prof. Atwater's experiments do not prove this. Until this is proven the burden of the proof is against those who would include alcohol in the list of food substances. For scientific experiments so osure have to be endured, indicate drinker is made less fit rather than more

And stronger still is the reason against speaking as Prof. Atwater does, of alco-hol as food in the same sense as sugar. For people generally, will interpret this to mean that it is a food equally to be re-commended with sugar and ordinary hy-gienic foods. And this, as Prof. Atwater will agree, is an entirely false idea and one calculated to do much harm. For while we get our energy from sugar without risk of poisoning, to get energy from alcohol we run great risk of poisoning, and to get any amount such as would be ecessary to support life in ordinary con necessary to support hie in oraniary con-ditions, we must take enough alcohol to poison ourselves seriously. (By poisoning is meant some harmful effect upon the functions of the body.)

The above dangers in the use of alco-hol, also the possibility of the formation of the alcoholic habit makes its use as a

f the alcoholic habit, makes its use as a everage unjustifiable even if there were

will agree in regard to the main question

of health and general welfare.
And in the present light of our exper-ence and of scientific investigation, the school books must continue to exclude alcohol from the list of substances de-sirable as foods, and to teach the avoidance of this substance as a god hygienic rule H. F. HEWES, M. D. Boston, Mass., July 5, 1839.

James Page, a colored man, strangled in from Charles City county with a very

up from Charles City county with a very fine heifer in tow.

He went up town and at Madison and Broad streets he offered to sell the heifer for \$4 to Mr. W. A. Pollard,
Sergeant Tyler, of the Third District, came up the scene at this point and carried James to the station house, where he stated that his stepfather stole the row and got him to sell it for him for \$12; if he couldn't get \$12, he could sell it for \$4. James will tell Justice Crutchfield this

tory, and will expect some elemency for elling the truth.

## The Cruel Knife!

It is absolutely useless to expect a surgical operation to cure cancer, or any other blood disease. The cruelty of such treatment is illustrated in the alarming number of deaths which result from it. The disease is in the blood, and hence can not be cut out. Nine times out of ten the surgeon's knife only hastens death.

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Penholders can be held in position for writing without gripping them with the fingers by the use of an illinois man's attachment, consisting of a piece of thin metal bent to fit the portion of the hand between the ball of the thumb and the base of the first inger.

Train orders can be delivered to the engineer while the train is under high speed by the use of a new order-holding device, which has a wire loop with a clamp on one side to grip the pressure, a socket being provided to hold the loop is position to be easily detached by the engineer.

A Washington man has designed a combination cane and umbreila which comprises a hollow tube with internal screw threaded at each end, with the central rod of the umbreila carrying activities and the ends of the tube to hold the latter over the umbreila.

Elaying cards can be rapidly and even-

Playing cards can be rapidly and even-ly shuffled by a Boston man's device, which is formed of a circular box, fitted with a central stem, on which it revolves, with a detent arranged in the top of the box to intermittently hold back a portion of the cards as they revolve.

Street car conductors will appreciate a new fare register designed for their use, and the cost to the company is lessened by its use, the new apparatus heing held in the hand, with a sliding yoke to be gripped by the thumb and depressed, registering the fare on a dial and ringing a bell.

Facts About Hair.

Black hair was most esteemed by the ancient Hebrews, while the Greeks and Romans gave preference to the golden tints, a certain shade of red being much in vogue among the ladies, who sought every means of imparting the desired color to their dark looks. It is said that those with dark hair work the best, while those with fair hal do the mest think

People with very 'air, almost colorless hair, accompanied by white lashes and eyebrows, are gererally of a weak constitution, rather stupid, fond of music, cut no figure in the world, and, being of a harmless and inoffensive disposition, are seldom badly missed when they leave it.

Black-haired persons, on the contrary, are strong and healthful, but ant to be quarrelsome. If the hair is smooth and gates Next Thursday.

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Sauce, roc. can. Best Switzer Cheese, 20c. lb. Foot Beer, 5c. bottle-makes fi e gallon. Large bottles Shoe Pol sh, 50.

Corn Starch, 3c. package. Mrs. Johnson's Home-Made Sweet Mixed Pickles, 15c. qt., or 50c. gal-American Refined Granulated Su, gar, 51/c. lb.

Flour, \$4 barrel, or 25c, bag. Its Pure old Country Cider Vinegar,

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20c. gallon. Guaranteed to keep Brooms cheap. 2 string Brooms,

9c; 3 string, 12c; 4 string, 15c; 5 string, 25c. The best Flour in the world is our

Silver King-\$4.35 barrel, or 28c. bag. Boneless Ham, toc. lb.

New North Carolina Chipped Herrings, 9c. dozen.

Uneda Biscuits-this is a fin? cracker. Try it. Only 5c. pkge. Arbuckle's Ariosa Coffee, roc. lb. Our 40c. Tea is as good as you pay 6oc, for elsewhere,

Potted Ham and Tongue, 4c. can. Mixed Cakes, with icing, 7c. lb. S. Ullman's Son Headquarters for Best Quality at Low Prices.

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